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## FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97(c), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date of the above-referenced application but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith along with Form PTO-1449. The references are printouts of the web site contractpackage.com, including printouts of the pages revealed upon accessing various links on the site. The printouts and related links are dated by www.archive.org as September 14, 2000; January 24, 2001; February 1, 2001; February 7, 2001; March 2, 2001; April 5, 2001; May 16, 2001; May 17, 2001; May 18, 2001; May 19, 2001; May 25, 2001; and July 21, 2001. Each of these versions of this web site and linked pages were obtained from www.archive.org and, according to www.archive.org, the sites were available on the highlighted dates indicated on the www.archive.org page attached to each of the

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printouts contained herein. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If it should be determined that the listed documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicant reserves the right to present to the Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicant further reserves the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

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